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FORTY-EIGHTH DAY

Friday, April 13, 2012

The House of Representatives of the Twenty-Sixth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2012, convened at 12:05 o'clock p.m., with Speaker Say presiding.

The invocation was delivered by Pastor Elwin Ahu of New Hope Metro, after which the Roll was called showing all Members present with the exception of Representatives Giugni, Kawakami and Oshiro, who were excused.

By unanimous consent, reading and approval of the Journal of the House of Representatives of the Forty-Seventh Day was deferred.

SENATE COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications from the Senate (Sen. Com. Nos. 677 through 679) were received and announced by the Clerk:

Sen. Com. No. 677, transmitting S.C.R. No. 143, SD 1, entitled: "SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE'S FULL COMPLIANCE WITH THE UNITED STATES OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET'S STATISTICAL POLICY DIRECTIVE NO. 15, ENTITLED "RACE AND ETHNIC STANDARDS FOR FEDERAL STATISTICS AND ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTING", AND THE PUBLICATION OF COLLECTED RACE AND ETHNICITY DATA SUBJECT TO APPLICABLE STATE AND FEDERAL LAWS," which was adopted by the Senate on April 12, 2012.

Sen. Com. No. 678, dated April 12, 2012, informing the House that the Senate has on April 10, 2012, agreed to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bill and that said bill has this day passed Final Reading:

S.B. No. 2698, SD 1, HD 1, entitled: "A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE INFORMATION PRIVACY AND SECURITY COUNCIL."

Sen. Com. No. 679, dated April 12, 2012, informing the House that the Senate has disagreed to the amendments proposed by the House to the following Senate Bills:

S.B. No. 223, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 490, SD 3, HD 1
S.B. No. 580, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 745, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 755, SD 2, HD 3
S.B. No. 824, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 1142, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 1168, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 1197, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 1276, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2001, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2030, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2056, HD 2
S.B. No. 2084, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2101, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2103, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2115, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2116, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2123, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2126, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2158, HD 1
S.B. No. 2213, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2214, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2220, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2226, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2228, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2235, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2236, HD 2

S.B. No. 2238, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2239, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2248, SD 2, HD 3
S.B. No. 2256, HD 2
S.B. No. 2261, HD 1
S.B. No. 2277, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2281, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2288, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2318, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2320, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2323, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2324, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2335, HD 2
S.B. No. 2341, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2344, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2354, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2375, SD 3, HD 2
S.B. No. 2378, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2383, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2386, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2394, SD 1, HD 3
S.B. No. 2402, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2412, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2424, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2429, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2434, SD 1, HD 3
S.B. No. 2435, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2438, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2457, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2466, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2486, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2489, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2506, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2528, SD 2, HD 3
S.B. No. 2534, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2536, HD 2
S.B. No. 2540, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2545, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2568, HD 2
S.B. No. 2576, SD 1, HD 3
S.B. No. 2579, SD 2, HD 3
S.B. No. 2584, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2630, HD 2
S.B. No. 2632, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2640, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2646, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2655, SD 2, HD 3
S.B. No. 2678, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2695, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2703, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2709, HD 2
S.B. No. 2712, HD 2
S.B. No. 2713, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2737, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2739, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2742, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2745, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2746, SD 1, HD 3
S.B. No. 2748, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2750, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2763, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2765, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2766, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2767, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2769, SD 2, HD 3
S.B. No. 2773, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2776, SD 2, HD 2
S.B. No. 2778, SD 1, HD 1
S.B. No. 2779, SD 2, HD 1
S.B. No. 2780, SD 1, HD 2
S.B. No. 2782, SD 2, HD 2

S.B. No. 2784, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2785, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 2787, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2790, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2797, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2798, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2800, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2804, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 2805, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2810, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2813, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2816, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2818, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2820, HD 2
 S.B. No. 2821, HD 3
 S.B. No. 2825, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2827, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2828, HD 3
 S.B. No. 2833, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 2858, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 2859, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 2868, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2873, SD 1, HD 3
 S.B. No. 2876, SD 2, HD 3
 S.B. No. 2927, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2933, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 2939, SD 1, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2941, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 2946, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 2947, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 2958, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 2967, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 2981, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 3001, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 3002, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 3003, SD 1, HD 2
 S.B. No. 3006, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 3008, HD 3
 S.B. No. 3010, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 3011, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 3025, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 3048, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 3050, SD 2, HD 1
 S.B. No. 3053, SD 2, HD 2
 S.B. No. 3062, SD 1, HD 2

ORDER OF THE DAY

REMARKS DELIVERED: Speaker Say
 Rep. Ward
 Speaker Say

SUSPENSION OF RULES

Representative Chong moved to suspend the rules of the House to reconsider action previously taken on a certain House Resolution and House Concurrent Resolutions, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Speaker Say
 Rep. Fontaine
 Speaker Say

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the rules were suspended to reconsider action previously taken on a certain House Resolution and House Concurrent Resolutions. (Representative Kawakami was excused.)

RECONSIDERATION OF ACTION TAKEN

Representative Chong moved to reconsider action previously taken pursuant to the recommendations contained in Standing Committee Report Nos. 1431-12 and 1432-12, recommending referral to the Committee on Judiciary; and Standing Committee Report No. 1456-12, recommending referral to the Committee on Legislative Management, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Speaker Say
 Rep. Morikawa
 Speaker Say

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the House reconsidered its action previously taken pursuant to the recommendation contained in Standing Committee Report Nos. 1431-12 and 1432-12, recommending referral to the Committee on Judiciary; and Standing Committee Report No. 1456-12, recommending referral to the Committee on Legislative Management. (Representative Kawakami was excused.)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

H.R. No. 87; and H.C.R. No. 115:

Representative Chong moved that H.R. No. 87; and H.C.R. No. 115, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Ward
 Speaker Say
 Rep. Aquino

At 12:15 o'clock p.m. Representative Aquino requested a recess and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:16 o'clock p.m.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Aquino
 Rep. Ichiyama
 Rep. Souki
 Rep. Fontaine
 Rep. Johanson
 Rep. Riviere
 Rep. Pine
 Rep. Thielen
 Rep. Ching
 Rep. Marumoto
 Rep. Cullen
 Rep. Cabanilla
 Speaker Say
 Rep. Ching
 Rep. Rhoads
 Rep. Belatti
 Rep. C. Lee
 Rep. Ward
 Rep. Takumi
 Rep. Chong
 Rep. Awana
 Rep. Ichiyama

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. Johanson
 Rep. Riviere
 Rep. Pine
 Rep. Ching
 Rep. Awana
 Rep. Ichiyama

(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 87, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO REPEAL THE MANDATORY MILITARY DETENTION AND INDEFINITE DETENTION PROVISIONS OF THE NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2012 AND AMEND THE AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF FORCE,"

was adopted, with Representative Souki voting no, and with Representatives Cabanilla and Kawakami being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 115, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO REPEAL THE MANDATORY MILITARY DETENTION AND INDEFINITE DETENTION PROVISIONS OF THE NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2012 AND AMEND THE AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF FORCE," was adopted, with Representative Souki voting no, and with Representatives Cabanilla and Kawakami being excused.

H.C.R. No. 118, HD 1:

Representative Chong moved that H.C.R. No. 118, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. McKelvey

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. McKelvey
(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.C.R. No. 118, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A SUNRISE REVIEW OF REGULATIONS FOR ZIPLINES AND CANOPY TOURS," was adopted, with Representatives Cabanilla and Kawakami being excused.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1700-12) recommending that H.R. No. 5, HD 1, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1701-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 5, HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 5, HD 1; and H.C.R. No. 5, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Ward
Rep. Fontaine
Rep. Ching
Rep. Rhoads
Rep. Souki

At 12:33 o'clock p.m. Representative Souki requested a recess and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:33 o'clock p.m.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Souki
Rep. C. Lee
Rep. Marumoto
Rep. McKelvey
Rep. Pine
Rep. Belatti

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. C. Lee
(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 5, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THAT THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION ONLY PROTECTS RIGHTS OF NATURAL PERSONS," was adopted, with Representative Marumoto voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 5, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THAT THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION ONLY PROTECTS RIGHTS OF NATURAL PERSONS," was adopted, with Representative Marumoto voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1702-12) recommending that H.R. No. 9, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1703-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 13, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 9; and H.C.R. No. 13, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Ching

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. Ching
(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 9, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REVIEW ITS POLICIES REGARDING STREET AND ROAD WIDENING, WITH REGARD TO THEIR IMPACT ON PEDESTRIAN SAFETY," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 13, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO REVIEW ITS POLICIES REGARDING STREET AND ROAD WIDENING, WITH REGARD TO THEIR IMPACT ON PEDESTRIAN SAFETY," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1704-12) recommending that H.R. No. 13, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1705-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 19, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 13; and H.C.R. No. 19, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Cabanilla
Rep. M. Lee

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. Cabanilla
Rep. M. Lee
(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 13, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS AND THE HAWAII OFFICE OF VETERANS SERVICES TO DEVELOP COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES TO ADDRESS THE NEEDS OF WOMEN VETERANS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 19, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS

AFFAIRS AND THE HAWAII OFFICE OF VETERANS SERVICES TO DEVELOP COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAMS AND SERVICES TO ADDRESS THE NEEDS OF WOMEN VETERANS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1706-12) recommending that H.R. No. 16, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1707-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 23, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 16; and H.C.R. No. 23, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. McKelvey

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 16, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT LAHAINA, MAUI, FOR MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF EXISTING DECK AND IMPROVEMENTS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 23, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A TERM, NON-EXCLUSIVE EASEMENT COVERING A PORTION OF STATE SUBMERGED LANDS AT LAHAINA, MAUI, FOR MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF EXISTING DECK AND IMPROVEMENTS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented seven reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1708-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 24, be adopted;

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1709-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 25, be adopted;

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1710-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 26, be adopted;

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1711-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 27, be adopted;

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1712-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 28, be adopted;

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1713-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 29, be adopted;

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1714-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 30, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1715-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 31, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 24; H.C.R. No. 25; H.C.R. No. 26; H.C.R. No. 27; H.C.R. No. 28; H.C.R. No. 29; H.C.R. No. 30; and H.C.R. No. 31, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Speaker Say
Rep. Hanohano
Rep. Jordan

Rep. Awana

At 12:39 o'clock p.m. Representative Souki requested a recess and the Chair declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The House of Representatives reconvened at 12:40 o'clock p.m.

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.C.R. No. 24, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 593 KULIOUOU ROAD, HONOLULU, HAWAII," was adopted, with Representatives Awana, Hanohano and Jordan voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused;

H.C.R. No. 25, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 619 KULIOUOU ROAD, HONOLULU, HAWAII," was adopted, with Representatives Awana, Hanohano and Jordan voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused;

H.C.R. No. 26, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 644 HOKIOKIO PLACE, HONOLULU, HAWAII," was adopted, with Representatives Awana, Hanohano and Jordan voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused;

H.C.R. No. 27, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 2314 10TH AVENUE, HONOLULU, HAWAII," was adopted, with Representatives Awana, Hanohano and Jordan voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused;

H.C.R. No. 28, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 41-557 KAMANAAINA PLACE, WAIMANALO, HAWAII," was adopted, with Representatives Awana, Hanohano and Jordan voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused;

H.C.R. No. 29, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 2949 ALA ILIMA STREET, NO. 303, HONOLULU, HAWAII," was adopted, with Representatives Awana and Hanohano voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused;

H.C.R. No. 30, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 95-031 KUAHELANI AVENUE, NO. 242, MILILANI, HAWAII," was adopted, with Representatives Awana and Hanohano voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 31, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SALE OF THE LEASED FEE INTEREST IN 95-017 KUAHELANI AVENUE, NO. 321, MILILANI, HAWAII," was adopted, with Representatives Awana and Hanohano voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1716-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 32, HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 32, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Marumoto

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 32, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE EFFICACY OF

COMBINING STATE GOVERNMENT HEALTH POLICY, PLANNING, AND PURCHASING IN A SINGLE AGENCY IN ORDER TO ADVANCE TRANSFORMATION OF HAWAII'S HEALTHCARE SYSTEM AND UNIVERSAL ACCESS TO CARE," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1717-12) recommending that H.R. No. 17, HD 1, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1718-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 33, HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 17, HD 1; and H.C.R. No. 33, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Marumoto

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 17, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE THE IMPACT OF ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE ACCIDENTS ON CHILDREN," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 33, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE THE IMPACT OF ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE ACCIDENTS ON CHILDREN," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1719-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 41, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 41, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Aquino

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. Aquino
(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 41, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO PERFORM A SUNRISE ANALYSIS OF THE REGULATION OF THE PROFESSION OF MUSIC THERAPY," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1720-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 50, HD 1, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1721-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 51, HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 50, HD 1; and H.C.R. No. 51, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Ching

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.C.R. No. 50, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO RECOGNIZE LOCAL KOREANS BY DIRECTING THE PLACEMENT OF A COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE DESIGNATING THE FORMER SITE OF THE KOREAN CHRISTIAN INSTITUTE," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 51, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO RECOGNIZE LOCAL KOREANS BY DIRECTING THE PLACEMENT OF A COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE DESIGNATING THE FORMER SITE OF THE KOREAN BOARDING SCHOOL FOR BOYS AND THE KOREAN METHODIST CHURCH," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1722-12) recommending that H.R. No. 36, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1723-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 56, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 36; and H.C.R. No. 56, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Jordan
Rep. Awana
Rep. Yamane

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. Awana
(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 36, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII ARMY NATIONAL GUARD TO PROVIDE EMERGENCY TRANSPORT SERVICES BY HELICOPTER TO INDIVIDUALS FROM LEEWARD OAHU AND COMMUNITIES IN THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY WHO REQUIRE IMMEDIATE TRAUMA CARE," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 56, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE HAWAII ARMY NATIONAL GUARD TO PROVIDE EMERGENCY TRANSPORT SERVICES BY HELICOPTER TO INDIVIDUALS FROM LEEWARD OAHU AND COMMUNITIES IN THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY WHO REQUIRE IMMEDIATE TRAUMA CARE," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1724-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 77, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 77, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Yamashita

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. Yamashita
(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 77, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO SUPPORT AND ESTABLISH A NATIONAL

BROADBAND NETWORK," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1725-12) recommending that H.R. No. 57, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1726-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 82, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 57; and H.C.R. No. 82, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Mizuno
Rep. Cabanilla
Rep. Awana

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. Cabanilla
(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 57, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING EFFORTS BY NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS THAT ASSIST IN FINDING OPPORTUNITIES AND SOLUTIONS TO ADDRESS HOMELESSNESS IN HAWAII," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 82, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING EFFORTS BY NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS THAT ASSIST IN FINDING OPPORTUNITIES AND SOLUTIONS TO ADDRESS HOMELESSNESS IN HAWAII," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1727-12) recommending that H.R. No. 59, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 59, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO COMPLY IN FULL WITH THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR'S MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION'S HAWAIIAN STUDIES PROGRAM," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1728-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 85, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 85, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO COMPLY IN FULL WITH THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR'S MANAGEMENT AUDIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION'S HAWAIIAN STUDIES PROGRAM," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1729-12) recommending that H.R. No. 60, HD 1, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1730-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 86, HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 60, HD 1; and H.C.R. No. 86, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Manahan

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 60, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES TO RECOGNIZE MOKAUEA ISLAND AS A CULTURAL AND EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE AND INCLUDE MOKAUEA ISLAND ON THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 86, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES TO RECOGNIZE MOKAUEA ISLAND AS A CULTURAL AND EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE AND INCLUDE MOKAUEA ISLAND ON THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1731-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 98, HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 98, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE OFFICE OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT TO DEVELOP A PLAN OF INITIATIVES FOR IMPROVED REUSE AND RECYCLING OF GREEN WASTE BY WORKING WITH THE COUNTIES TO ADDRESS EACH COUNTY'S UNIQUE NEEDS ACCORDING TO THEIR GEOGRAPHY, POPULATION, AND UNIQUE INDUSTRY MAKE-UP," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1732-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 99, HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 99, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO WORK WITH STAKEHOLDERS AND APPROPRIATE AGENCIES TO CREATE AN EFFICIENT TRACKING METHOD FOR DEOXYRIBONUCLEIC ACID (DNA) RAPE KITS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1733-12) recommending that H.R. No. 73, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 73, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO IMPLEMENT AN INCENTIVE PROGRAM TO PROMOTE THE PURCHASE OF HAWAII-GROWN AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1734-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 101, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 101, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO IMPLEMENT AN INCENTIVE PROGRAM TO PROMOTE THE PURCHASE OF HAWAII-GROWN AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1735-12) recommending that H.R. No. 75, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 75, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S EFFORTS TO STIMULATE THE STATE'S AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY, INCREASE AND DIVERSIFY AGRICULTURAL OUTPUT, AND PROMOTE FOOD SECURITY," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1736-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 103, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 103, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S EFFORTS TO STIMULATE THE STATE'S AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY, INCREASE AND DIVERSIFY AGRICULTURAL OUTPUT, AND PROMOTE FOOD SECURITY," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1737-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 104, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 104, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII TO DESIGNATE THE MAGOON RESEARCH AND TEACHING FACILITY SITE FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN RESOURCES," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1738-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 107, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 107, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE CREATION OF AN EXPLORATORY COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN INTERNATIONAL AVIATION TRAINING CENTER AT THE HILO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND AN ADVANCED AVIATION DEGREE TRAINING PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT HILO," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1739-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 108, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 108, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Ito

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. Ito
(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 108, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONDUCT A REVIEW AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON THE REMOVAL OF MARINE DEBRIS CREATED BY THE 2011 TSUNAMI IN JAPAN," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1740-12) recommending that H.R. No. 94, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1741-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 123, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 94; and H.C.R. No. 123, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Ward
Rep. Fontaine
Rep. Jordan

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 94, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING AND REQUESTING A REPORT ON SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENTS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 123, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING AND REQUESTING A REPORT ON SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1742-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 140, HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 140, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF AEROSPACE DEVELOPMENT TO COORDINATE COMMENTS AND IDENTIFY A LEAD ENTITY TO PREPARE A PROPOSAL, ON BEHALF OF THE STATE, FOR HAWAII TO BE SELECTED AS ONE OF THE FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION'S SIX UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEM TEST SITES," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1743-12) recommending that H.R. No. 95, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 95, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF VEHICLE IMMOBILIZATION AS A SANCTION FOR OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE WITH A LICENSE REVOKED OR SUSPENDED FOR OPERATING A VEHICLE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF AN INTOXICANT," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1744-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 124, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 124, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF VEHICLE IMMOBILIZATION AS A SANCTION FOR OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE WITH A LICENSE REVOKED OR SUSPENDED FOR OPERATING A VEHICLE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF AN INTOXICANT," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1745-12) recommending that H.R. No. 107, HD 1, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1746-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 145, HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 107, HD 1; and H.C.R. No. 145, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. McKelvey
Speaker Say
Rep. McKelvey
Rep. Ward
Speaker Say

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 107, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMISSION TO APPROVE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE PROVINCE OF BALI, INDONESIA," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 145, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE HAWAII SISTER-STATE COMMISSION TO APPROVE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF HAWAII AND THE PROVINCE OF BALI, INDONESIA," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1747-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 152, HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 152, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE MANAGEMENT POLICIES REGARDING THE USE OF OVERTIME BY STATE AND COUNTY EMPLOYEES," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1748-12) recommending that H.R. No. 118, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 118, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT

OF HEALTH TO DEVELOP A STATE ACTION PLAN TO COMBAT CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE IN THE STATE," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1749-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 154, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 154, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO DEVELOP A STATE ACTION PLAN TO COMBAT CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE IN THE STATE," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1750-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 163, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 163, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE PUBLIC LAND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF THE COUNTY OF HAWAII, TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP TO DEVELOP AND IMPROVE THE EAST HAWAII AREA OF HAWAII COUNTY," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1751-12) recommending that H.R. No. 139, HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 139, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REPORT OF ALL STATE DEPARTMENT EXPENDITURES RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION CONTRACTS AND POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENTS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1752-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 178, HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 178, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A REPORT OF ALL STATE DEPARTMENT EXPENDITURES RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION CONTRACTS AND POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENTS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1753-12) recommending that H.R. No. 147, HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 147, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE STATE REGULATION OF THE HARVESTING OF HAWAIIAN SANDALWOOD," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1754-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 190, HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 190, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TASK FORCE TO EXAMINE STATE REGULATION OF THE HARVESTING OF HAWAIIAN SANDALWOOD," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1755-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 192, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 192, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE DESIGN, DEVELOPMENT, CONSTRUCTION, AND OPERATION OF A SECURE FORENSIC FACILITY," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1756-12) recommending that H.R. No. 155, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 155, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DETERMINE FINANCING MECHANISMS TO ASSIST PRIVATE PARKING LOT OWNERS WITH THE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH PROVIDING PARKING STALLS AND CHARGING UNITS FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLES," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1757-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 201, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 201, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM TO DETERMINE FINANCING MECHANISMS TO ASSIST PRIVATE PARKING LOT OWNERS WITH THE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH PROVIDING PARKING STALLS AND CHARGING UNITS FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLES," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1758-12) recommending that H.R. No. 157, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 157, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO ENTER INTO A PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT FOR THE PLANNING, DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, TURNKEY, AND FINANCING OF A NEW MAUI REGIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY COMPLEX AT PUUNENE, MAUI," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1759-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 203, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 203, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO ENTER INTO A PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT FOR THE PLANNING,

DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, TURNKEY, AND FINANCING OF A NEW MAUI REGIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY COMPLEX AT PUUNENE, MAUI," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1760-12) recommending that H.R. No. 167, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 167, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE ON MILITARY PERSONNEL TO ACT FAVORABLY ON H.R. 2148 AND TO REPORT THE BILL TO THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FOR FURTHER ACTION," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1761-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 216, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 216, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE AND SUBCOMMITTEE ON MILITARY PERSONNEL TO ACT FAVORABLY ON H.R. 2148 AND TO REPORT THE BILL TO THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FOR FURTHER ACTION," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1762-12) recommending that H.R. No. 4, HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 4, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Rhoads

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 4, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNOR AND THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII TO PRESERVE THE COUNTIES' SHARE OF THE TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS TAX," was adopted, with Representative Rhoads voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1763-12) recommending that H.R. No. 116, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 116, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Nishimoto

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. Nishimoto
(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and H.R. No. 116, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO INSPECT, CLEAN, AND FIX THE DRAINAGE SYSTEM IN EAST HONOLULU," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1764-12) recommending that H.R. No. 74, as amended in HD 1, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1765-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 102, as amended in HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 74, HD 1; and H.C.R. No. 102, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Ward
Rep. Hashem
Rep. M. Lee
Rep. Marumoto
Rep. Takumi
Rep. Ward
Rep. Hashem

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 74, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE LIBRARIAN TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE ON THE USE OF PUBLIC LIBRARY FACILITIES FOR CONCESSIONS," was adopted, with Representatives Takumi and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 102, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE LIBRARIAN TO CONVENE A TASK FORCE ON THE USE OF PUBLIC LIBRARY FACILITIES FOR CONCESSIONS," was adopted, with Representatives Takumi and Ward voting no, and with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1766-12) recommending that H.R. No. 115, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1767-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 153, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 115; and H.C.R. No. 153, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Choy

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 115, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION CONVENING A MANOA ROAD TASK FORCE TO DISCUSS OWNERSHIP, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PORTION OF MANOA ROAD LEADING UP TO THE LYON ARBORETUM," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 153, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONVENING A MANOA ROAD TASK FORCE TO DISCUSS OWNERSHIP, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PORTION OF MANOA ROAD LEADING UP TO THE LYON ARBORETUM," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1768-12) recommending that H.R. No. 143, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 143, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE'S FULL COMPLIANCE WITH THE UNITED STATES OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET'S STATISTICAL POLICY DIRECTIVE NO. 15, ENTITLED "RACE AND ETHNIC STANDARDS FOR FEDERAL STATISTICS AND ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTING", AND THE PUBLICATION OF COLLECTED DATA SUBJECT TO APPLICABLE STATE AND FEDERAL LAWS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1769-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 185, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 185, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE STATE'S FULL COMPLIANCE WITH THE UNITED STATES OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET'S STATISTICAL POLICY DIRECTIVE NO. 15, ENTITLED "RACE AND ETHNIC STANDARDS FOR FEDERAL STATISTICS AND ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTING", AND THE PUBLICATION OF COLLECTED DATA SUBJECT TO APPLICABLE STATE AND FEDERAL LAWS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1770-12) recommending that H.R. No. 121, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 121, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY AND BENEFITS OF ESTABLISHING CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE FEES TO SUPPORT CERTAIN DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES' PROGRAMS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1771-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 157, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 157, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY AND BENEFITS OF ESTABLISHING CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE FEES TO SUPPORT CERTAIN DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES' PROGRAMS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1772-12) recommending that H.R. No. 123, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.R. No. 123, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE STATE'S COMPLIANCE WITH THE PATIENT PROTECTION AND AFFORDABLE CARE ACT WITH EMPHASIS ON MEDICAID PROGRAM INTEGRITY," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Oshiro, for the Committee on Finance presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1773-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 159, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 159, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE STATE'S COMPLIANCE WITH THE PATIENT PROTECTION AND AFFORDABLE CARE ACT WITH EMPHASIS ON MEDICAID PROGRAM INTEGRITY," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1774-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 183, as amended in HD 1, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 183, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO PERFORM A FOCUSED FINANCIAL AND PERFORMANCE AUDIT OF THE CABLE TELEVISION DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1775-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 177, HD 1, as amended in HD 2, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 177, HD 2, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU TO CONDUCT A STUDY ON REQUIRING INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR THE DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT OF AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Yamashita, for the Committee on Legislative Management presented two reports:

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1776-12) recommending that H.R. No. 7, be adopted; and

(Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1777-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 9, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the reports of the Committee be adopted, and that H.R. No. 7; and H.C.R. No. 9, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. M. Lee

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the reports of the Committee were adopted and H.R. No. 7, entitled: "HOUSE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR FERTILITY PRESERVATION PROCEDURES FOR PERSONS OF REPRODUCTIVE AGE WHO HAVE BEEN DIAGNOSED WITH CANCER AND WILL UNDERGO TREATMENT THAT MAY ADVERSELY AFFECT FERTILITY," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused; and

H.C.R. No. 9, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE AUDITOR TO ASSESS THE SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL EFFECTS OF REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR FERTILITY PRESERVATION PROCEDURES FOR PERSONS OF REPRODUCTIVE AGE WHO HAVE BEEN DIAGNOSED WITH CANCER AND WILL UNDERGO TREATMENT THAT MAY ADVERSELY AFFECT FERTILITY," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1778-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 58, HD 1, be adopted.

Representative Chong moved that the report of the Committee be adopted, and that H.C.R. No. 58, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Thielen

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 58, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION TO DIRECT ELECTRIC UTILITIES TO EXAMINE SPECIFIC RENEWABLE ENERGY SCENARIOS IN THE INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLANNING PROCESS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Herkes, for the Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1779-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 165, be adopted.

On motion by Representative Chong, seconded by Representative Evans and carried, the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 165, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING ALCOHOL RETAILERS AND LICENSED PREMISES UNDER CHAPTER 281, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES, TO POST A SIGN IN OR ABOUT THE PREMISES WARNING WOMEN NOT TO DRINK ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DURING PREGNANCY AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONTINUE ITS EFFORTS TO PROVIDE STATEWIDE TRAINING ON FETAL ALCOHOL SPECTRUM DISORDER PREVENTION, IDENTIFICATION, AND INTERVENTIONS," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Oshiro and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Chang, for the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources presented a report (Stand. Com. Rep. No. 1780-12) recommending that H.C.R. No. 169, be adopted.

At this time, Representative Har offered Floor Amendment No. 6, amending H.C.R. No. 169, as follows:

"SECTION 1. House Concurrent Resolution No. 169 (URGING THE COUNTIES TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT COMMUNITY CONCERNS COUNCILS IN RURAL AREAS) is amended by deleting its contents and replacing it with new language to read as follows:

"HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF KOREATOWN AND DEVELOPMENT OF A MASTER PLAN FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A KOREATOWN.

WHEREAS, Koreans have a long history in Hawaii which started with 16 Koreans in 1902 and the first group of Korean laborers arriving in January 1903; and

WHEREAS, after the passage of the Immigration and Nationality Act of 1965, Koreans have become one of the fastest growing Asian groups in the United States which spurred the opening of the University of Hawaii's Center for Korean Studies in 1973; and

WHEREAS, immigration has continued, resulting in a population of 23,537 Koreans in Hawaii, according to the 2000 United States Census, and causing the Center for Korean Studies to broaden the teaching of Korean history and culture; and

WHEREAS, Hawaii has been at the forefront of encouraging the federal government to approve a visa waiver program for Korea; and

WHEREAS, on June 16, 2003, the Korean Consulate, Hawaii Korean Tourism Association, and Korean Air formed the Hawaii Tourism Promotion Association for the purpose of promoting tourism and a visa waiver program for Koreans; and

WHEREAS, on August 19, 2003, the Korean-Hawaii Visa Waiver Action Committee was created to promote and advocate the necessity of a visa waiver program for Koreans; and

WHEREAS, on April 26, 2004, the Legislature adopted House Concurrent Resolution No. 202, urging the members of Hawaii's congressional delegation to introduce federal legislation to provide additional resources to expand visa processing capacity in the Consular

Section of the United States Embassy in Seoul in the Republic of Korea, and to include the Republic of Korea in the Visa Waiver Program; and

WHEREAS, on October 17, 2008, following several years of advocacy and lobbying efforts by the Korean-Hawaii Visa Waiver Action Committee in Washington, D.C. and in Korea, President Bush announced the visa waiver program for Koreans, effective November 17, 2008; and

WHEREAS, Koreans entering Hawaii between 2005 to 2008 totaled 35,008 in 2005, 37,911 in 2006, 42,140 in 2007, and 38,110 in 2008, and the number dramatically increased to 54,739 in 2009; and

WHEREAS, the upward trend has continued, totaling 81,921 Korean visitors in 2010 and 100,172 visitors in 2011, with projections that the number of Koreans entering in Hawaii will continue to grow at 30 to 50 percent annually; and

WHEREAS, Korean Air schedules fourteen flights a week to Hawaii, Asiana Airlines schedules two flights a week to Hawaii and will increase to seven flights a week starting in July 2012, and Hawaiian Airlines schedules four flights a week to Hawaii and will increase to seven flights a week starting in July 2012; and

WHEREAS, more than 92 percent of the Korean tourists in Hawaii visited Oahu, of which approximately 82 percent are first-time visitors to Hawaii; and

WHEREAS, many Koreans have given their time and expertise in serving the State of Hawaii, one of the most notable being Chief Justice Ronald T.Y. Moon, whose grandparents were among the first Korean immigrants to Hawaii; and

WHEREAS, Census Tracts 36.01 and 36.02 give the general boundaries encompassing areas west of Kalakaua Avenue to Pensacola Street and north of Kapiolani Boulevard to South King Street which has become known as the Korean business district; and

WHEREAS, according to numbers from the 2000 United States Census, Census Tract 36.02 was home to 1,008 Koreans and part-Koreans, making it the neighborhood with the highest concentration of Koreans in the State; and

WHEREAS, areas surrounding, in, and around Census Tracts 36.01 and 36.02 are home to approximately 18 percent of Hawaii's Korean population; and

WHEREAS, as Hawaii continues its efforts to overcome the existing global financial crisis, it must look to its own state resources as well as develop international partnerships to plan for its current recovery and future to prevent another economic crisis; and

WHEREAS, Koreatowns or Korean-themed streets or districts exist in large United States cities such as Los Angeles, New York, Dallas, Chicago, Philadelphia, and Atlanta, and internationally Koreatowns exist in Toronto, Sydney, Tokyo, Osaka, London, Auckland, Hong Kong, and Beijing; and

WHEREAS, establishing a Koreatown is the first and natural step in recognizing the long history and bonds developed throughout the decades of Korean immigration and influence in Hawaii; and

WHEREAS, as Korea globally grows in recognition as an economic power, Hawaii must be at the forefront and establish itself as a gateway to Korean investment; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2012, the Senate concurring, that the Legislature urges the establishment of a Koreatown; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Office of Planning in coordination with the City and County of Honolulu Department of Planning and Permitting are urged to develop a master plan for the development of a Koreatown to include but not be limited to the following:

- (1) Area boundaries;
- (2) Incentives to promote and perpetuate further investment with Korea;
- (3) A museum and cultural center highlighting Korea's contributions in culture, music, fashion, art, and society in Hawaii and the world and including statues of Korean leaders from Hawaii; and
- (4) Specialized design plans to reflect Korean architecture; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Office of Planning is requested to submit a report of its findings and recommendations, including any proposed legislation, to the Legislature no later than 20 days prior to the convening of the Regular Session of 2013; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Governor, Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu, Director of the Office of Planning, and Director of the City and County of Honolulu Department of Planning and Permitting."

Representative Har moved that Floor Amendment No. 6, be adopted, seconded by Representative Ito.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Har

The motion that Floor Amendment No. 6, amending H.C.R. No. 169, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE COUNTIES TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT COMMUNITY CONCERNS COUNCILS IN RURAL AREAS," be adopted, was put to vote by the Chair and carried, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami and Tokioka being excused.

Representative Chong moved that H.C.R. No. 169, HD 1, be adopted, seconded by Representative Evans.

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Har
Rep. Luke
Rep. Ward
Rep. Awana
Rep. Belatti
Rep. Cabanilla
Rep. Morikawa
Rep. Manahan
Rep. McKelvey
Rep. Rhoads

TO BE INSERTED: Rep. Har
Rep. Awana
Rep. Belatti

(Submit by Wednesday, April 18)

The motion was put to vote by the Chair and carried, and the report of the Committee was adopted and H.C.R. No. 169, HD 1, entitled: "HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF KOREATOWN AND DEVELOPMENT OF A MASTER PLAN FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A KOREATOWN," was adopted, with Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Souki and Tokioka being excused.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

REMARKS DELIVERED: Rep. Aquino
Rep. M. Lee
Rep. Ching
Rep. Thielen
Rep. Ward

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

The following measures were referred to committee by the Speaker:

<u>S.C.R.</u> <u>Nos.</u>	<u>Referred to:</u>
74	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then to the Committee on Finance
151, SDI	Committee on Hawaiian Affairs, then jointly to the Committee on Water, Land, & Ocean Resources and the Committee on Energy & Environmental Protection

169 Committee on International Affairs

COMMITTEE REASSIGNMENTS

The following measure was re-referred to committee by the Speaker:

S.C.R.

No. **Re-referred to:**

97, Committee on Transportation, then to the Committee on
SD1 Finance

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:20 o'clock p.m. on motion by Representative Evans, seconded by Representative Pine and carried, the House of Representatives adjourned until 11:30 o'clock a.m., Monday, April 16, 2012. (Representatives Chang, Kawakami, Souki and Tokioka were excused.)

HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS

House Communication dated April 13, 2012, from CJ Leong, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, to the Honorable President and Members of the Senate, informing the Senate that the Speaker has this day appointed as Conferees on the part of the House for consideration of amendments proposed by the Senate to the following House Bill:

H.B. No. 2012,	Oshiro, Chr.;
HD 1, SD 1	Choy, Cullen, Giugni, Har, Hashem, Ichiyama, Jordan, Kawakami, C. Lee, M. Lee, Morikawa, Tokioka, Yamashita, Marumoto, Riviere, Ward